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#### NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

CAMP CREEK.

Mr. Je n Weidman has about recovered fro. is illness.

Mr. Samuel McIntrsh has moved in with Mrs. Jones Warstler near Justus. Many of our young people attended the exercises at Goat Hill last Thursday. A social will be held at the Cross Roads hall on Saturday evening April 8,

Messre. Elleworth Weldman, Charlie and Henry Larer and William Saalberg, and the Misses Sophia and Flora Larker and Kittle Owens, attended the dates at Glick's, on last Saturday evening.

#### ETLON

Mee S D Bughman has recovered. Mr. William Penman, Sr., is on the sick

The school closed at McFarren last Fri-

The Goat Hill mine has started to work

Job Morgan is drilling on the Barah McFarren form.

Mr. Peter is going to move in the Frank Snavely property Miss Jennie Penman is learning the

millinery trade at Massillon. Mr. Bmery Hawk is going to move in the property formerly owned by Samuel

Mesers. Jacob Ringley, Jr., and Jonas Shilling, visited at Peter Bourkell's last Many of our young folks attend the

Christian Endeavor regularly at chapel, from this place. The entertainment reld at the McFarren school-house on last Friday evening

was largely attended. The Sugar Creek orchestr . furnished the music. The literary at Goat Hill closed on last Thursday evening with a good program.
The band turnished the music for the evening and the Messrs. Shilling rendered

#### PARIS.

several fine selections.

The Paris school closed on last Friday. The Locust Grove school will close or next Saturday

C. E. Smith now lives on the second floor over the post-flice. Mr. E. L. Motts and family of Minerve

were in town on Sunday. William Johnson now occupies the lower floor of the Smith porperty.

Walter V. Stimmel will teach the Pleasant Valley school this summer.

The Paris cornet band meets to prac tion every Tuesday and Thursday night. Allen O. Zininger will teach the Herbst r scho l in Washington township this spirng.

Mr. Trump, of Freeburg, died last Wed nesday and was buried on last Sunday

Reuben Dourm has been purchasing hay of the farmers at \$7 per ton and shipping it cast.

Horace Sefert graduated from the Starling medical college at Columbus last week. It is now Dr. Sefert.

Dr. George F. Zininger attended the fiftieth anniversury of the Starling medical college at Columbus last Thurs lay.

Elmer Haynam will move to his new home on next Tuesday, having purchased what is known as the David Myers farm. If ev ry advocate of free silver will do tle, last week. his full duty next Monday, every candidate on the Democartic ticket will be

An entert inment will be given of next Saturday evening in M-iser's ball. A military play entitled "Jusa Winchesper" will be rendered by some of our Pari dramatic talent.

The fiftieth anniversary or golden wed ding of Mr. Jacob Motts and wife was celebrated on last Saturday. About 200 invited guests were present and a gen earl good time was had.

# LIMAVILLE.

Amos Cobb visited relatives in Salem last week.

Mrs Anderson visited friends over Sun day near town. Mike Grimes was pretty badly bitten

by a dog Friday. Mattie Strong made a business tirp to

Akron Saturday Mrs. James Calderhead, Sr., is report ed on the sick list.

Elmer Zi er, of near Ak on, vi ited near town over Sanday

Mary Drayer has moved into her broth er's house, north of town. Ex-County Cl rk O. M. Coxen called on his friends in Limaville sriday.

were in town on business Monday. Rugene Reynolds and John Hall made Everybedy prinounc d the play a suca business trie to New Milford Saturday.

Henry A. Pillson and son, of freeburg

a social Saturday evening, April 17. Good time is expected. Mr. Wilker, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mr.

Barnett, of Canton, were in town on bustness one day last week. Miss Sylva Crow, of Marlbor, has se-cured rooms at J. P. Zaiser's, and will do all kinds of dress making. She is

highly recommended. The following persons are reported sick: Mrs. J. S. Dur twan, Mrs. Lins-

comb. Miss Stella Kunuze. Miss Pollie Zaiser and M. A. Wagoner. M. A Zalzer, who has been nominated

by the Democrata of this presinct for assessor, is well known and his ability to Turn out and let there be a large vote

The Marlboro Dramatic Club give a drama in the town hall, Friday evening, April 2. They come here highly of only ten cents will be charged. All should attend.

James W. Roath, who has been nominated by the Democrats of Loxington township for trustee, needs no intro-duction. He has lived in the township

fill the office to the satisfaction of all. By precedent established, it is conceded by Alliance people irrespective of party, Do your duty.

#### MAPLETON.

Mr. Forest Shearer has started away for Mr. Loyal Reed mourns the death of

their youngest child. The Free Silver Club met at Robertsville on Thursday eventog.

Mr. Homer Waltz was given a surprise on Sunday by his friends Mr. Ellsworth Creighton has moved upon the late Ira Branson's place.

which will increase the beauty of Mapletop very much. The Mapleton and Chestnut Ridge ball teams rlayed a game for a ball and the championship of the state. Mapleton was victorious. The pitcher from the ridge forget to throw strikes, and gave

Dr. Bell is building a new rasidence,

#### one man five oskewalks, for fear he would kneck it out of the field. NEW BERLIN

Mr. Christian Snyder, west of town, s very III.

Herbert Hoover returned to Hiram oll-ge on Tuesday

Misses Cora Kelp and Helen Saylor pent Sanday in Canton. John Stook is visiting with his aunt,

Mrs. Brun baugh, in Milway. The schools have al sed for a week's va-

estion and the children are bappy. Miss Grace Steels is spending the week with her cousin, Mrs. Johnson, at for the benefit of the church. All in-

New Berlin is to have a new enterpirse, in the removal of the pole and shaft works from Canton to this place in the near future.

The Reformed Sunday-school has appointed Miss s Cora Reen snyder, Ada Lichty and Pearl Coleman as delegat s to the Stark County Sunday-school concention at Canton this week.

Miss Carrie Hoover entertained a numper of her friends on Monday evening in honer of her tirthday. A Gelightful evening was spant. These present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Schrantz, Mrs. Charles Price, Misses Berton Lesh, Cora Kolp, Mary Hoover, Elta Willaman, Della Patterson, Adele Graham, Pearl Cleman, Maggie Evans, Rhoda Patterson, Lavinia Graham; Messrs Peter Hissn r, George M. tzgar, Clarence Lesn, Will Lesh, Frank Evans, Herbert Hoover, Fred Kr ighbaum, Dannie Hoover and

#### HARTVILLE.

The shops are running full force.

The creamery will start Thursday April 1 Messrs. Royer and Coe were in town

Sanday. Mr. and Miss Bowers, of Randelph went through town Tuesday.

The highest offer that the farmer has received of H. L. Spelman for milk up

to this date is 68c per hundred. The Hoffman Br thers, of Doylestown, rendered the people a very interesting concert. The exhibition Saturday evening was well attended

#### MOGADORE

Mr. William Webb spent Wednesday

The entertainment at East school last Wednesday was well attended A calico ball will te given in Eagle ball, Friday evening, April 2.

Cleveland on a visit Tuesday. A show will be presented in the near

future by the Sons of Vetearns. Miss Flora Store who has been attend ing school at Paicesville, Ohio, retuored

home Saturday. Tre e is great talk of starting a pub Ex-Senator Brice Will Devote His Time

if properly conducted. Mr. Se tt Misbler and family, of Canon, are visiting at the home of Mr. Mish-

ler's fatter, at this place. A dine social will be given at to ome of Mr. and Mrs. John Piero, an

Saturday evening, April 3. Mr. E. C. Davis, who has been attending college at Scio, returned home last Thursday for a short vacation.

# MARLBORO.

Miss Lillie J. Wearstler spent] Sunday and devoting his entire time and attenwith her pare .ts. E. F. Wearstlar made a business trip

to Cleveland last week. H. H. Brooke r turned from Tuscara was county with abou forty head of foat-

H. A. Replogle has gone to Atwater to scend the summer with his brother. Charles Replogle. E. N. Lamiell, traveling sales nan for

McCres, of Canton, spent Monday lo town on builness Prof. and Mrs. Cope have gone to spend their vacation with Mrs. Cope's

parents, in Kensing on. On April 3, Mr. Frank Lint in of Mt Union, will deliver a lecture to the M. 6. church, on James White imb Riley.

Miss Lillie Holibaugh, who has been redding in Fort Wayne, Ind., has come back to Marlboro to keep house for her father.

We well ome our new barber, Frank S Miller, who is taking the place of Oscar Harsh, Mr. Harsh having accepted position in West Liberty.

Mi s Ada Powe l, who has been attending senoul at Mt. Union, returned bome recently to take charge of the primary department of our public school "this spring term.

Our school closed the winter term or Friday, March 26. A splendid literary entertal ament was presented, some good recitations were given, and the audience was well pleas d.

The High School Dramatic club pr sopted "Payliss, the B ggar Girl," and The Girl from the Midway," to a \$25 house on Saturday evenig, March 27, oess in every particular, and especially The Knights of the Macabee will hold is Mr. Seriver to be complimented as an acrobat and contortionist.

The Democrats have a splendid ticket in the field. They are as follows: Trust e, Henry Sweltzer; treasurer, Charles Johnson; J P., Marlooro preciact, W. F. Immels. Assessors-Marlboro precinct, C. B. Clapsadale; North Baltimore precinet. Occar Swartz: Bridgeport pre inch William Bacht l. Constables, Elwood Harmony and George Ringer.

# Golden Wedding Celebration.

Saturday, March 27, was the day the children of Jacob Motts had secretly perform the duties of the office is exc lient. planted a surprise on their parents to celebrate the fiftisth anniversary of their wedding day. When the time arrived, about 200 people, headed by the Paris cornet band, marched to the home of Mr. resonamended, and a small admission fee and Mrs. Motts and overwhelmingly surprised them and recalled to their memory that they had traveled the stormy paths of right together [for fifty years: The gnests were cordially welcomed and delightfully entertained by

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may be made and oftentimes they equal not a single fact. What is the use talking on a serious subject unless you can prove that what you say is true? Ever notice that every claim made for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS is a fact because it's proven by every day life in Canton? Not a statement published that is not endorsed by Canton citizens; by friends and neighbors; by people we know. For instance, we say DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS cure backache and Canton people endorse it below; again we say DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS cure other kidney ills and again we give a citizen's word for it. Here is proof for every kidney sufferer and we have hundreds more such cases.

# Cassilly Street.

Miss Maggie Meschwitz, at No. 84 Cassilly street, says: "Wh n I was a child two and one half years old I had an attack of scarlet fever that left my kidn ys affected, at least that is what the medical profession said. I have had two attacks of dropsy and was relieved of them by physicians, but the aching pain in the small of the back they have never been able to eradicate. It was always aggravated when I caught cold or walked far, or stood on my feet for a long while. I have never found anything to relieve my back like Doan's Kidney Pills. My brother, who had got a box at the Durbin & Wright Co.'s drug store, persuaded me to try them. I took a few doses and they beloed me so much that I continued taking them until the backsche disappeared. Before I used Doan's Kidney Pills I had to leave my work at the store and go home many times not being able to continue the full day. You can refer to me and use my statements; it may benefit others who need a like remedy, if you wish to do so.'

# Lippert Street.

Mrs. Wm. Huth, No. 21 Lippert St., said at her home: -"I had several severe spells of sickness and the effect left my kidneys in such a very unhealthy condition that it looked as if I never would get them well and strong again. I have taken a good deal of medicine during the five years that I have been troubled with dull tired feeling in the small of my back, and severe twinges of pain in the kidneys, but I never found anything do me any radical good until I went to The Durbin & Wright Company's drug store and got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and commenced to use After a few days the pain in my back left me. I am entirely free from it, and it is quite a while since I have taken any. I am quite well and strong now, and knowing that Doan's Kidney Pills are the cause of it. I strongly urge anyone suffering with complaints arising from weak kidneys to give Doan's Kidney Pills a fair trial. I feel sure that they will not be disappointed."

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#### the couple until the hour of refreshments came, when all were directed to a sumptuons dinner, which was enjoyed by them. After dinner they were entertained by a few appropriate remarks and vocal and instrumental musto for He Sends One to President the occasion. They were the recipients of many valuable presents. Mr. Israel

Motts presented his father with a gold watch and Mrs. Matts with a beautiful BEGGED parlor lamp. His brother and sister each Mr. Curt Fe ton and family went to presente I him "with a \$5 gold piece. At about 4 o'clock the assemblage dispersed for their homes, wishing much pleasure to them for the remainder of their lives.

OUT OF POLITICS.

SPRINGFIELD, March 20.-Hon. Chas. Q. Davis of Columbus, the well-known railroad lieutenant of ex Senator Brice, was here enroute to southern Ohio on railroad business for Mr. Brice. Mr. Davis said that there is absolutely nothing the story that Senator Brice is fixing his fences to carry the Ohio legislature next fall with the expectation of going back to the United States senate. He said that Mr. Brice is out of politics now with the intention of staying out

tion to his railroad interests. The ex-senator is a leading member of a big syndicate that expects to begin in a short time if all concessions wanted are granted, the construction of a big railroad system in China. In case the planned work is carried out it will be one of the results of the tour of this country made by Li Hung Chang.

Indicted For Stealing Twenty Cents. MARION, O., March 80 -The special grand jury impaneled in the case of Stallmith, who shot Ruth Madden, who assisted prisoners to escape, et al. found an indictment against George Chapman on a charge of stealing 20 cents' cents worth of coal. Chapman gave a bond of \$50 for his appearance at

# A Judge's Odd Ruling.

Lima, O., March 30 .- A new rule has een adopted by Judge Ritchie. Attorneys wanting a change of court must make affidavit that they cannot get justice from him. Under this rule several affidavits were filed and were argued before the court, but have not as yet been decided.

# An Old Minister Dead.

DAYTON, O., March 80.—The Rev. William Herr, D. D., probably the oldest minister of the Methodist Episcopal church in Ohio, has died at his residence here at the age of 91 years.

WATING ON THE TARIFF

Commission For Monetary Conference Not Yet Appointed. Washington, March 30 .- From care-

ful inquiry in official circles here it appears that any statement that the president has determined to appoint specfally accredited commissioners to undertake negotiations abroad with foreign powers in furtherance of bimetallism is at least premature. So far, it is said, Mill r; J. P., Bridgeport preshoct, Frank | the president has been unable to give serious attention to the financial subject, and there is no reason to suppose that he has changed his well defined plan of insisting upon deferring the consideration of all other questions until the changes necessary to be made in the tariff are effected.

Among the Republican senators, too, there is a growing belief that before anything is attempted in the way of a monetary conference it would be well to wait until the appointments of ambassadors and ministers have all been made and the new officials have had full opportunity to sound the governments to which they are accredited in order to avoid rebuffs.

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McKinley.

He Also Sends a Copy of a Letter Sent to Cleveland - Wants to Stop the Wholesale Butchery of Women and

by C. E. Crosby, the correspondent of give him surgical relief. that paper, who is reported killed in Cuba by the Spaniards. The letters, which arrived by mail, are copies of those sent to President McKinley and to President Cleveland. It is supposed that the letter sent to President Cleveland went astray, or if he received it, he gave no sign. Following is the let-

sent to President McKinley : 'In the field, near Sancti Spiritus, March 1, 1897, the Hon. William Mc-Kinley, president of the United States America. "Sir-General Weyley has arrived

in this district of Sancti Espiritu, with a numerous army. He comes not to fight nor to expose his strength to the forces with which I defend these parts, but as a sanguinary and cruel general, who will avoid combats and spread crime and desolation everywhere.

"He comes to murder the peasants in the field, to kill the children, and to drive our persecuted and outraged women to the woods, leaving their omes to be burned, their hearths violated and their gardens destroyed. This how General Weyler pacifies Sancti Espiritu, or wherever he may be. Then he authorizes those who ask him for bread for their children and alleviation for their miseries to go out into the country and to steal and destroy what-

ever they may find "With this, permit me to send you a copy of a letter which I had the honor to send your predecessor in office, Mr. Grover Cleveland. It is the hope that it may move you to sacred action that induces me to take up my pen to trouble

you."
The following is a portion of the let-

ter:
"Permit a man whose soul is torn within him by the contemplation of unutterable crimes to raise his voice to the supreme chief of a people, free, cultivated and powerful

"Do not, I beg, regard this action as an inopportune act of officialism. You yourself authorized it when you conceded to me a place in your last message to congress 'Even more, I beg you, do not regard it as a request for intervention in our affairs. We Cubans have thrown our-

selves into this war, confident in our

strength. The wisdom of the American people should alone decide what course of action you should take. "I will not speak of the Cubans in arms. No, I raise my voice only in the name of unarmed Americans, victims of a frightful cruelty. I raise it in the name of weakness and of innocence sacrificed, with forgetfulness of the ele mentary principles of humanity and the eternal maxims of Christian moralitysacrificed brutally in the closing days of the nineteenth century, at the very gates of the great nation which stands so high in modern culture; sacrificed there by decaying European monarchy

the borrors of the middle ages. "Our struggle with Spain has an as pect very interesting to that humanity of which you are so noble an exemplar, and to this aspect I wish to call your il-instrious attention."

which has the sad glory of setting forth

GENERAL RIVERA CAPTURED

The Spanish Take Him In a Battle

the subject of capitol building, and attacked the regulars from the very considers the subject from every standoutset of the advance. The Spanish point. In the point of cost, the comcolumn marched upon Perico Pozo, where General Ruis Rivera awaited

guard on the trenches held by Rivera, who was already wounded. One company of the Reina cavalry state board of dental examiners was galloped forward capturing the trenches | negatived. and seizing as prisoners five men who lay severely mutilated by the shells. passenger fare on steam r. Colonet Bacallao, on learning that cents a mile was negatived. passenger fare on steam railways at 2

Rivera had been wounded, hurried to Quite the trenches and begged the soldiers duced. not to kill him. Rivera and Colonel were the following: ublishes two letters sent from Cuba that the first thing to be done was to communications of a lit

# STILL DOUBTFUL

Hunter Losing In His Fight For th

Kentucky Senatorship. FRANKFORT, Ky., March 30 .- With 70 members, one more than a majority of the general assembly, now voting, or saying they are ready to vote against Hunter, the Republican nominee, he would seem to be defeated. But those 76 votes will not unite on any one man. and 66 are still clinging with tenacity to Hunter. This is three short of an election. Hunter's hope seems to lie in the possibility that the anti-Hunterites will some day soon begin voting for When they do and the narrows down between these two there are three or four silver Democrats now voting against Hunter who say they will then vote for Hunter and make

Hunter win in an exciting finish by one or two majority over Eradley. Ex-Secretary of State Sam Taylor of Ohio is still on the ground and it is supposed will notify the authorities at Washington when it becomes apparent that there is no chance to elect Hunter and that it will be best to put out another candidate.

# Illinols Banks Robbed.

ONEIDA, Ills., March 31.-The State bank here has been robbed. Entrance to be grinding cane freely and without was made through the front door. The interruption. The Spanish authorities safe was cracked with nitroglycerin. and \$5,000. Besides the Oneida affair the bank at Beggsville was robbed of Banks at Kewanee and Altoona \$400. were also visited, but no money obtained. Officials have arrested four men presumably from Chicago and

#### have them in jail. Bought a Half Interest.

DULUTH, March 31 .- A half interest in the great Mahoning iron mine on the western Mesaba has been bought have the remains shipped to the United by the Cambria Iron company of Penn- States. sylvania. The price is not known here, but it is not far from \$400,000. mine will easily produce from 500,000 to 600,000 tons of ore yearly. The sale leaves but one of the great steel making firms of Pennsylvania and Ohio without a Mesaba mine.

# An Ex-Congressman Dead.

Columbus, March 31.-Hon. George . Converse, ex-member of congress, has died here. He was ill seven months was in his 70th year and died in the county of his birth. He served in the house and senate of the Ohio legislature from 1860 to 1865 and again in house in 1873, when he was speaker. He was in congress three terms and was a Randall protective tariff Democrat.

# Two Killed and Four I jured.

CHICAGO, March 31,-Two men have been killed and four seriously injured by an explosion in the northwest water tunnel at the foot of Oak street dead are Owen O'Malley and Peter Gallagher and the injured are Thomas Gallagher, Dennis Hayes, Patrick Conway and George Blank.

The gloomy tears and the weariness of soul, of which so many complain, would disappear if the blood were made more healthy before it reaches the brein. Ayer's Sarsaparilla purifies and vitalizes the blood, and thus condress to health of body and mind.

THE MISSISSIPPI FLOOD

Several Breaks In the Levee Causes

GUNNISON, Miss., March 31.-News has just been received here by special messenger that the levee has broken at Stokes, or Sunny Wild plantation, two and a half miles south of Gunnison. There will be great destruction of property. This break will put Gunnison in a very precarious position, placing the town between two crevasses, one at Perthshire, four miles north, and the break at Stokes. Gunnison is already

under water from one to six feet, and the break south of here will add to this. Some of the pictures witnessed on some of the thoroughfares of the Gunnison were skiffs, dugouts and every other kind of cheap eraft, occupied by the unfortunates who were trying to recover their household effects from the Some were able to enter their houses by the doorway and the win-

GREENVILLE, Miss., March 31 .- The country around and about here if now flooded, but it is believed the town will be saved. The planters are working like beavers, moving their stock and corn to places of safety. The negroes on the great plantations are being cared for and no destitution is reported. The situation north of Greenville was intensified by a break in the levee near Stops Landing, in Boliver county. This break is no less than 30 miles above Greenville. Visions of the flood that invaded the town in 1890 came vividly before the minds of the people, and there was bustle and confusion every where. The opinion prevailed that the water would find its way into the northern part of the city, and carpets were taken up and drays were busy taking forniture to the two-story buildings in

the business part of the city.
Washington, March 31.—The weather bureau has issued the following special river bulletin: During the past 24 hours the Ohio, Cumberland, Tennessee and Arkansas rivers have fallen slowly and the Red has risen. The St. Francis river has risen 2 feet since Saturday and is still rising rapidly. The upper Mississippi, from St. Paul to Dubuque, has risen slightly and is above the danger line at Lacrosse. The Mississippi has fallen slightly from Keokuk to Cairc and risen from Helena to New Orleans, except a slight fall at Arkansas City, due to a crevasse near that place. It is above the danger line from Cairo to New Orleans, and from Memphis to Arkansas City is above the extreme high water of any previous

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. Plans For a New Capitol-Business In

HARRISBURG, March 31.-New capitol plans were presented to the legislature by the house committee on publie buildings and grounds, in a report on the governor's message of March 11, which advocated a capitol to cost \$550,-

The report is a complete resume of

mittee disagrees with the governor, and there are several recommendations at them in a strongly entrenched position. variance with the governor's ideas Rivera opened fire immediately on seeing the column. Lieut. Col. Jose Roco advanced with the extreme vantoi complete. One million dollars is the amount of

Many bills were reported from committees. The Saylor bill creating a The Creasy bill fixing the maximum

Quite a number of bills were intro-Among the bills that passed Bacallao were taken into the presence of General Velasco, who shook hands tribution of immoral writings, etc., with Rivera and introduced him to the and of all drugs for criminal purposes. CHICAGO, March 30 .- The Record officers of his staff, giving instructions | Punishing the sending of anonymous tory, scurrilous or opprobrious nature.

The bill to create a state bureau of

# geology and mines was defeated.

MISERY IN CUBA. Smallpox Very Prevalent-The Spanish

Embark Political Prisoners. HAVANA, March 31.-Great misery is being experienced at San Cristobal and elsewhere in the province of Pinar del Rio, owing to the prevalence of smallpox. The mortality is great. The municipal authorities are distributing relief when they are able to do so, that is to say when the troops succeed in driving in the cattle from the surround-

ing hills. General Velazco is continuing military operations against the insurgents of Pinar del Rio, acting in conjunction with General . narez Inclan. General Ruiz Rivera, the insurgent commander captured on Sunday last

lao, was wounded when the first shots were exchanged between the Spanish troops and the insurgents. The news of the capture of General Rivera has spread, it is stated, through Santa Clara, and, combined with the steady pursuit of the insurgents by the

government forces, is rapidly diminish

The principal plantations are reported

ing the number of the enemy.

with his chief of staff, Colonel Bacal-

embarked 43 political prisoners for the amount taken is between \$3,000 Chafarine islands, together with 12 female nanigos. To Aid In Recovering Crosby's Body. WASHINGTON, March 31 .- Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister here, has cabled to Acting Captain General Ahumada at Havana a request

> was killed at Arrovo Blanco, and to Captain of the Oakes Arrested.

> that he do all in his power to aid in the

recovery of the body of the unfortunate

newspaper correspondent, Crosby, who

New York, March 31.-Captain E. W. Reed of the ship T. F. Oakes has been arrested upon a warrant issued by the United States court. The Oakes is the ship upon which, during its last voyage there was much suffering and several deaths, resulting, as alleged, from insufficient and improper food.

Mrs. John W. Milter, a farmer's wife, at Black Lick, this county, was found. she having been murdered Monday by a tramp employe, in the temporary sence of her husband. The tramp has

COLUMBUS, March . ,-The body of

# CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

Stop That Cough! Take warning. asy lead to Consumption. A 25c bottl of Shiloh's Cure may save your life. Sold by Fred P. Shanafelt & Co; E. L. Ortt Market and 8th St.; E. C.Miller, East

# FLEE FOR THEIR LIVES

The Mississippi Levee Breaks Doing Much Damage.

PEOPLE MOVING OUT OF DANGER.

The Water Is Pouring Through the Break Carrying Everything Before It. Teo Thousand Men Working With a Desperation.

GREENVILLE, Miss., March 30 .- The solid line of the Mississippi leevees has broke at last. The levee at Deerfield, ten miles below Greenville, has succumbed to the pressure of the waters of the mighty Mississippi. The leves was a large one and 100 yards of the wast embankment gave way in a trice and the torrent of waters rushed upon the country. Soon the section between the river and the embankment of the riverside division of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railway was a sea of Hogs and cattle were drowned while the people, mostly colored, rushed to the levee above and below the break and huddled together until they were rescued. No loss of human life has been reported.

Decrield is near Wayside, a station on the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railway, and nearly all of the splendid country west of Deer creek south of Arcola to the Yazoo river will be flooded. Theusands of acres of the most fertile lands in the delta already planted in corner ready to be planted in cotton, will suffer from the waters pouring through this crevasse. The back water will reach nearly to Green-

The situation immediately above and below Greenville is improved. The weak places and the low places in the levee have received close attention. Lawyers, business men, clerks, mer-chants and all have worked side by side with the negro laborers, wheeling dirt to elevate and strengthen the embankment that protected the people from devastation. The line of leves is in good condition for miles above the city and the people of Greenville feel confi-dent once more that the town itself will escape the flood. The weak places in the Arkansas levee at Possum Fork and a few other points are reported under control tonight. The levee at Riverton on the Mississippi side, near Rosedale, reported weak is now considered safe. Thirteen car loads of sacks has reached Greenville for use on the levees in this section, thousands of these bags being sent to the places needed by steamers today. The river at Greenville shows a decline of nearly an inch, due to the crevasse at Deerfield, while at Lake-port, opposite Deerfield, on the Arkan-

sas side, the fall was four inches The crevasse near Perthshire, 70 miles by river from Greenville, also relieve the pressure in this terri-tory, and the engineers feel that no further breaks will occur, but already great damage to much of the back country has been done. The two breaks already recorded will likely stop every carwheel in the delta during the next few days, while a vast area of farming lands in the Yazoo-Mississippi delta will be submerged for weeks to come. The loss of cattle and hogs will be heavy, while the demoralization of labor will prove a considerable item to

the planters. At Gunnison, Miss., the levee broke at Sledge plantation, near Concordia landing, three miles noth of Gunnison at 3:30 p. m. The crevasse is about 100 feet wide, and the levee made of sand will cave and cut very fast. The people are wild with excitement and there is no effort being made to stop the videning of the crevasse. It is expected that the crevasse will cut to a width of 500 feet by morning. There was no uneasiness felt about this levee as there was nothing to indicate a weakness excent a seep, which did not seem to be dangerous. Water is pouring through the break at a terrible velocity carrying houses, trees and everything in its path There is some uneasiness feit about the safety of the people on the Sledge plan-

tation, but up to this hour there are no lives reported lost. HELENA, Ark., March 30 .- This has been the most critical day in the history of the city. The river has been steadily rising, and stands at 50.6 feet. All night long long the wind blew and the waves beat upon the levee, and weary watchers had piled sacks of dirt where the breaches were showing. It was a gallant fight and it left everybody exhausted. The mayor has issued a proclamation reciting the desperate circumstances surrounding the city and requesting all stores be closed and all able bodied men be sent to the front. The proclamation met with a hearty re sponse, and in a few moments several hundred fresh men, with spades in their hands, were taking the places of the

tired men who had labored all the The government boat Titan arrived at 10 o'clock this morning with 97 refu gees from Knowlton, Captain Nolty of the Titan reports another big break about 300 yards above Wood Cottage landing, which is a mile and a half above Knowlton. It was 500 feet wide

when the Titan passed down to Knowl-Ten thousand men line the levees be tween Memphis and Vicksburg watch ing and working with a desperation almost pitiable. The warning sent out by the weather bureau from Washington is having its effect. Many of the inhabitants of the delta have corralled the animals on high strips of land and moved their families out of dangers reach.

AMERICAN REPUBLICS DIRECTOR

Joseph P. Smi h Is Appointed to That Position by Secretary Sherman. WASHINGTON, March 30 .- Joseph P. Smith of Ohio has been appointed by Secretary Sherman director of the bureau of American republics, vice Clinton Furbish, resigned, being selected by the secretary from three persons whose names were certified by a special board as having passed satisfactory examinations for the place. Mr. Smith is 41 years of age and was born in West Union, O. He was a

printer and afterwards a newspaper He held the office of state librarian. to which he was appointed by Governor McKinley for four years. His relations with the president have been very close.

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